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ACTION SCS-03

INFO OCT-01 ARA-16 ISO-00 INR-11 IO-14 MED-03 NSAE-00

PA-04 RSC-01 SCA-01 SCI-06 USIA-15 PRS-01 CIAE-00

HEW-08 AID-20 DODE-00 DRC-01 /105 W

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FM AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7593

INFO AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

AMEMBASSY LA PAZ

AMEMBASSY MONTEVIDEO

AMEMBASSY ASUNCION

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DEPT FOR SCS

DEPT PASS TO US PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL

FOREIGN QUARANTINE PROGRAM

ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30333

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CFED, SWEL

SUBJECT: SUSPECTED QUARANTINABLE DISEASE

1. PRESS REPORTS DATED AUGUST 5 IN BUENOS AIRES CLAIMED THIRTEEN CASES OF MENINGITIS WERE DETECTED HERE. HOWEVER, THIS WAS PLAYED DOWN IN THE MORNING PAPER TODAY 8/6/74 BY THE ARGENTINE SECRETARY OF PUBLIC HEALTH, DOMINGO LIOTTA, WHO SAID "THESE CASES ARE SEASONAL AND NORMAL FOR THIS TIME OF YEAR." ACCORDING TO DR RAUL KELLY, EMBASSY MEDICAL ADVISOR, THE DISEASE HERE IS KNOWN AS MENINGOCOCCUS AND IT IS NOT REPEAT NOT THE SAME VIRUS THAT IS CURRENTLY PREVALENT IN BRAZIL.

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2. SITUATION BEING WATCHED AND ANY SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENTS

WILL BE REPORTED PROMPTLY.

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Message Attributes

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